

LIND WILL NOT RUN

Declines to Accept Democratic Nomination for Governor.

HEADS MINNESOTA TICKET

Convention Tendered the Honor Without His Consent.

FULL TICKET IN THE FIELD

Factions in Dispute and Disorder Prevails—Platform Declares for Local Option.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 29.—Democratic storm signals, which were flying when the state democratic convention met here, were torn to shreds by the tempest of feeling which was let loose late yesterday afternoon over the nomination of John Lind for governor and the attempt to introduce a direct resolution in the party platform favoring county option.

According to dispatches received here tonight, ex-Gov. Lind adheres to his refusal to accept the nomination.

For more than three hours, up to the very minute when the motion to adjourn was carried, there was no let-up to the scene of disorder, except for a few moments when Chairman Michael Daly managed to make himself heard after terrific pounding with a piece of 2-by-4 scantling, which he used as a gavel.

The ticket named is:

Governor—John Lind, Minneapolis.
Secretary of state—Fred W. Johnson, New Ulm.
State auditor—T. J. Meagher, Albert Lea.
Attorney general—J. M. Freeman, Olivia.
Justices of supreme court—T. J. O'Brien, St. Paul; A. H. Snow, Winona; Philip E. Brown, Luverne; Calvin L. Brown, Morris.
Clerk of supreme court—Fred E. Wheaton, Minneapolis.
State treasurer—Charles F. Ladner, St. Cloud.
Railroad and warehouse commissioner—James C. Tracy, Rochester.

High Regard for Lind.

Mutterings of the trouble were heard early in the day, and an unusual condition existed. The entire delegation was united in declaring that John Lind was one of the best democrats in Minnesota. The delegates were all his friends, but divided into two factions. One insisted that Lind must be nominated, despite his repeated refusal to be a candidate and his final flat declaration in a telegram from Portland, Oreg., yesterday that he would not accept the nomination, while the other argued that he had been Governor of Minnesota and had nothing to gain by the nomination, and that the nomination would be a waste of time and money. The latter faction shook fists at the chairman and at the other side, while those bent on nominating Lind howled, hissed and completely blocked the proceedings, until by sheer force of noise and enthusiasm they won their point and forced the nomination.

Even then the faction opposed to the nomination took advantage of a motion to make the nomination unanimous to argue. They wanted to see the nomination to Mr. Lind by telegraph and await his answer—to take a recess until 8 o'clock at night, if necessary—but this failed and finally the nomination was made unanimous and the convention adjourned at 6:30.

The other nominations were made by acclamation.

Division on Local Option.

On the matter of resolutions there was no contention except for a plank on county option. The anti-county optionists were in the saddle in the committee on resolutions. This committee heard the resolutions offered by the county optionists and then voted them down and inserted a plank declaring for the initiative and referendum, which the committee declared would answer the same purpose.

On the other resolutions in the platform there was no fight. On national issues the platform was adopted.

"We deplore the weakness and timidity of President Taft, who, with his own hands, has promoted still further, but dominated by the predatory interests, weakly failed to use the tremendous forces of his high office for the redemption of the nation from the clutches of the congressional majority to do its duty of tariff reform. No subsequent effort to fulfill party promises can atone for this supreme failure to restore public confidence."

Expression of Contempt.

"We condemn the national administration for its initial failure to prevent the conservation of natural resources, and have nothing but contempt for its insincere efforts to appear to support conservation after public disapproval of its course was manifested."

"We condemn the retention of Richard A. Ballinger as Secretary of the Interior after the exposure of his methods of conducting the affairs of that office relating to conservation, and declare it to be a national scandal."

"We deplore the discharge of Gifford Pinchot from the office of chief forester as a national crime."

"The democrats of Minnesota commend the republican insurgents of Minnesota for their vote on the Payne tariff bill."

"We demand the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people."

"We strongly commend the course of Winfield Scott Hammond, the democratic representative of Minnesota in Congress, and urge the people of his district to re-elect him."

Lind Emphatic in Declination.

EVERETT, Wash., July 29.—"I cannot understand the action of the convention," said ex-Gov. John Lind, who was here, discussing his nomination for governor by the Minnesota democrats.

"I have stated repeatedly that I could not understand and would not accept the nomination," Lind continued, the foreman declared: "I stated in a letter to the chairman of the state central committee some weeks ago that my decision on the subject of politics was final and irrevocable and my attitude remains unchanged."

ROCKVILLE, MD.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ROCKVILLE, Md., July 29, 1910.

The Galtersburg and Rockville base ball teams, long-time rivals on the diamond, have arranged to play a series of five games for the championship of the county. The first game will be played at Rockville the coming Saturday, and the date of the other games are as follows: At Galtersburg, August 6 and 27, and at Rockville August 20 and September 10. The contests are sure to arouse much interest.

The county school commissioners have awarded Lucius Q. C. Lamar of this place a scholarship in St. John's College at Annapolis, he having made the best average in a recent competitive examination. Young Lamar is a son of Maj. William H. Lamar of the Department of Justice, and a grandson of the late Justice Q. C. Lamar.

Margaret Clemons of this county has filed suit in the circuit court at this place for an absolute divorce from John Clemons, the bill alleging desertion. The plaintiff is represented by Attorney Alexander Kilgour.

Mrs. Ellen Bilmeyer, widow of David Bilmeyer, died Wednesday at Shepherdstown, W. Va., from the infirmities of age. She was eighty-three years old.

AN END TO SKIN TROUBLES

Action of Poslam Is Rapid—Easy to Prove What It Will Do.

"To think," says Mr. L. J. Cooper, North Haven, Conn., "that I have been trying everything to cure eczema for fifteen years, and now poslam has done it. The first application stopped all the itching."

When a remedy is available like poslam, which in all skin troubles stops itching and secures cures so rapidly and readily, there is really no reason why such afflictions should be allowed to go unchecked, particularly as no one is asked to purchase poslam without first obtaining and trying one of the free trial packages. This will be sent by mail to any one who will write to the Emergency Laboratories, 22 West 25th street, New York city.

While primarily intended for the treatment of eczema, acne, tetter, herpes, and all other forms of itchy, etc., poslam promptly cures all the lesser skin afflictions, such as pimples, blotches, fever blisters, red noses, inflamed skin, rash, herpes, sunburn, clears the complexion and keeps the skin in healthy condition.

A special 50-cent package of poslam is prepared for minor cases, and this, as well as the regular two-dollar jar, is for sale by all druggists, particularly Ogram's, O'Donnell's, Albeck's and the People's Drug Store.

COURT DEMANDS BOOKS

PEREMPTORY ORDER TO UNITED WIRELESS COMPANY.

Unless Complied With by Tuesday Next Officers May Be Jailed for Contempt.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Unless eighteen stock books missing from the records of the United Wireless Telegraph Company, whose affairs are under investigation by the federal grand jury, are produced before that body by 11 o'clock next Tuesday morning six of the company's officers stand in imminent danger of going to jail for contempt in failing to comply with the commands of subpoenas calling for the production of these books.

Such was the ultimatum of Judge Hand yesterday in the United States circuit court after he had examined the report of Charles P. Howland, a lawyer, who was appointed special master to investigate the disappearance of the stock books, and had heard the arguments of Assistant United States District Attorney Stephenson for the government and Arthur M. King, special counsel for the United Wireless Telegraph Company.

The officers named by Judge Hand are Christopher Columbus Wilson, president; Samuel S. Bogart, vice president; William Dibel, treasurer; Lucien Wallace, assistant treasurer; Floyd Marshall, secretary, and Francis X. Butler, director and general counsel.

Subpoena Issued July 8.

July 8 last a subpoena was issued commanding the officers of the company to produce before the grand jury engaged in an investigation of alleged irregularities in the sale of stock of the United Wireless Telegraph Company the stock books of the corporation. Ninety-nine of these books were produced, but on looking them over eighteen were found to be missing. Additional subpoenas were served on the six officers individually July 23 and 25, but this did not bring forth the missing books.

The proceedings before Judge Hand yesterday were to decide whether the six local officers and directors of the company should be purged of the contempt alleged by Special Master Howland. Assistant United States District Attorney Stephenson reviewed the conclusions of the special master, pointing out that there had been a willful evasion of the grand jury's command and asserting that the motive of the United Wireless officers in abstracting the stock books was to conceal the records of their stock manipulations. He referred to the testimony of Arthur C. Pike, transfer clerk at the United Wireless Company's Jersey City office, 45 Montgomery street, before Special Master Howland to show that the books had been spirited away by some one in high authority.

Transfer Clerk's Testimony.

Pike's testimony was that he missed the books from their place in the safe some time after July 1, or about ten days or two weeks prior to the time the officers were served with grand jury subpoenas. He testified further that they were abstracted without his knowledge and presumably by somebody familiar with the company's affairs.

Judge Hand declined to relieve Mr. Butler of his part of the responsibility because he refused to answer a few hours before the subpoena was served on him.

"I cannot see that he is less responsible than the others," said the court. "To whom would we have looked for these books had all the officers decided to resign in a body? The motive is plain to the court. The officers of the company included Washington and the abstraction of these books; they will be given ample time to produce them."

WILL ENTERTAIN TEXANS

PLANS OF THE BOARD OF TRADE COMPLETED.

Over a Hundred Members of the

Houston Real Estate Exchange Will Arrive Here August 9.

Final plans for the entertainment of

the 125 members of the Houston (Tex.) Real Estate Exchange, who will come here August 9, have been completed by the Board of Trade.

The following reception committee has been appointed by Scott C. Bone, chairman of the executive committee of the board: J. Louis Williams, chairman; Walter A. Brown, James A. Cahill, A. S. Caywood, Murray A. Cobb, H. H. Davidson, H. H. Davidson, W. F. Schwartzell, John L. Weaver, John C. Weedon and Joseph I. Weller.

The Houston Real Estate Exchange has arranged an excursion which will include visits to many of the principal cities of the country. Stops of the itinerary will be made at each place. They will be taken to the New Willard Hotel, where a reception will be given in their honor by the Board of Trade, and opportunity afforded for the business men of Washington to meet those of Houston. After luncheon at the New Willard the party will be escorted to the Union Station and will leave for Baltimore at 2:30 o'clock.

Mack Ellis, a young man of excellent family, was arrested at Roanoke, Va., on the charge of robbing the safe of Frank Fallon, who was a member of the Roanoke city council. He took less than half the money contained in the safe, and when suspected, broke down and confessed the robbery.

In the Parker = Bridget Clearance Movement.

\$25 & \$30 Suits at \$13.75

Lots to Go on Sale at 3 O'Clock Today.

150 Two-piece Suits Culled from Our Regular \$25 and \$30 Lines, \$13.75

Included are all sizes in the most desirable summer fabrics and patterns of the season. Need we remind you that this and every offering appearing above the Parker-Bridget signature is BONA FIDE and does NOT represent goods bought for REDUCTION SALE PURPOSES?

Our rigid policy compels us to dispose of ALL goods of the season BEFORE the end of the season. No goods carried over—hence the sacrifice.

163 THREE-PIECE SUITS. Light-weight Fashionable Fabrics and Patterns from Our Regular Stock of \$25 and \$30 Lines for \$13.75

The cream of this season's stock of \$25 and \$30 P-B. models. All sizes in a wide assortment of high-quality fabrics.

By the time The Star is on the street these will be on sale.

\$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 Odd Trousers To Clear at \$1.90, \$2.90 and \$3.90.

A large lot of odd Trousers in "outings" and "regulars." All sizes and fabrics. Inventory is near at hand, and these goods must go NOW.

Boys' Suits at Half Price.

200 Boys' Double-breasted Suits, with knickerbocker pants, in fancy mixed worsteds, cassimeres and chevots. Sizes 7 to 16 years.

Suits That Were—\$5.00 \$6.00 \$7.50 \$8.50 \$10.00 \$15.00 Now—\$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.75 \$4.25 \$5.00 \$7.50

Boys' Wash Suits at Half Price.

(with exception of Peter Thompson style).

Suits That Were—\$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 Now—50c 75c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50 \$1.75 \$2.00

Boys' 50c Wash Blouses, 25c.

Wash Blouses, in all styles. Sizes 7, 8, 9 and 10 ONLY. Regular 50c value, 25c.

Boys' Socks.

75c and \$1.00 values, in black and tan only. Sizes 5, 5½, 6 and 6½ only. 49c

Odd Knickerbocker Pants in Fancy Effects.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 values. 79c

\$1.75 and \$2.00 values. \$1.25

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Ninth and Pa. Avenue

SUGGESTION SAVES LIFE

BELIEF OF THE HOSPITAL SURGEONS AND NURSES.

Boy Thought Dying From Being Run Over by Train Responds to Assurance of Attendants.

PATERNON, N. J., July 29.—That ten-year-old Johnnie Vanderschale's own strength of mind was great enough to save him from dying when he was thought to have been fatally injured is the firm belief of the surgeons and nurses of the General Hospital. He was discharged as a patient yesterday in fine general health, but his right leg and his right arm are missing. So serious was his case when he was taken to the hospital, weeks ago, it was not expected that he would survive the night.

Johnnie's home is at No. 33 Avenue B, Haledon, a suburb of Paterson. His boy comrades gathered in numbers yesterday to greet his return and he cheerfully waved his remaining arm at them. His "nerve" since his accident and the hospital operations have surprised many of the prominent surgeons of the state who have watched his case.

Run Over by Train.

The lad was on a visit to an uncle at Warren Point when a train of the Erie railroad ran him down while he was playing on the track. His right leg was cut off and his right arm hung in shreds when he was picked up. Despite loss of blood, the boy surprised an ambulance surgeon who attended him by calling out that his leg was "in the bushes" when he was being carried away on an emergency stretcher.

His strongest thought, apparently, was

that his widowed mother would be worried, and he begged the doctors and nurses that she be told he was hurt but little. He survived the amputation of his arm splendidly.

A Wonderful Case.

Dr. Bender, an attending surgeon at the General Hospital, calls the case "wonderful."

"At the very first," he said, "I found that Johnnie had a very strong mentality and that he responded famously to suggestion."

"That was the only chance to save his life, aside from our best surgical treatment, and I adopted, with the nurses and other attending surgeons, a course of 'suggestive' treatment. Although the boy suffered terribly, I suggested that he had no pain, and he responded finely. I did not 'hypnotize' him, as it was not necessary on account of his ready reception of the idea. The nurses followed the same course."

ASKS TO BE SHOT.

Man Who Had Fled From Doctors Makes Strange Request.

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., July 29.—At the home of David Moser of Montour township last Wednesday night a well dressed young man inquired if Mr. Moser would do him a favor. Inquiring his nature, Mr. Moser was astounded to hear the young man reply, "I want you to shoot me."

Instead Moser turned him over to physicians. He was cared for all night and held under restraint, and yesterday it was learned that he was Charles Jacques of Shamokin, who had escaped several days before from the care of the physician by whom he was being treated and who, it is feared, had fallen into a mine breach.

Two big rattlesnakes killed in her yard in one day has made Mrs. R. T. Strickler, wife of a Baptist minister, the heroine of Page county, Va. The Strickler home is among the foothills of the Massanutten mountains, where abounds this deadly serpent.

portion most affecting the east; while as a whole it will present the claims of the shippers.

Twelve Cities Represented.

The cities represented were Minneapolis, St. Louis, St. Joseph, Kansas City, Chicago, Cincinnati, Rockford, Columbus, Indianapolis, Pittsburgh, Baltimore and Dayton.

The sentiment was expressed by the speakers that there should be no attempt made to deprive the railroads of anything that it is found they are entitled to, but that an effort should be made to prove that an increase in rates in all lines is not justified.

LEAVES FIANCEE A FORTUNE.

Division of Estate of H. C. Wyatt, Late Theatrical Manager.

LOS ANGELES, July 29.—Under the will of H. C. Wyatt, read yesterday at the Burlington avenue residence by his attorney, Arthur Cratcher, the major portion of the \$250,000 estate will pass into the hands of Miss Alice B. Crossley, the theatrical manager's former stenographer and later his fiancée. They had contemplated marriage and a long European bridal tour this fall. By that time Mrs. Wyatt, it is understood, would have obtained a divorce.

The other principal beneficiary is William T. Wyatt, the son. The Mason Opera House will be managed by the Wyatt estate, represented by the son, but controlled by Miss Crossley, with a two-thirds interest.

Mrs. Wyatt, now living in New York, in view of certain concessions had signed away all claim to the estate.

Charging that William Motteheard, commissioner of Kanawha county, W. Va., has been guilty of accepting bribes, impeachment proceedings were filed in Circuit Judge Burdett's court Thursday.

Pursued Wife Kills TOO PERSISTENT SUITOR

Dallas W. Smith Had Annoyed Mrs. Fischer With Attentions for Many Years.

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 29.—Dallas W. Smith was shot and instantly killed yesterday by Mrs. Daisy Fischer, the wife of E. V. Fischer of this city. Smith appeared at the rear door of the Fischer home armed with a revolver. Mrs. Fischer opened fire with a Winchester rifle, and sent five shots into his body. He dropped dead.

Mrs. Fischer and her husband say that Smith was her suitor ten years ago in Hannibal, Mo. Smith continued his attentions notwithstanding her marriage. Frequent quarrels occurred between the husband and Smith, and finally, to avoid conflict, Fischer and his wife left Hannibal and came to Oklahoma. Smith followed and frequently made visits to their home against their protest. Several encounters occurred between Smith and Fischer.

Smith made his appearance here March 10, and attempted to enter the Fischer home. He continued to hang about town and frequently came into contact with the police on various charges.

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Neglige Shirts at \$1.15

All colors, solid and patterns, plain and plaited, in all sizes. These shirts are our REGULAR STOCK ONLY. Marked down to \$1.15 to accomplish the quickest clearance in the history of the department. EARLY is the word.

\$3 Pajama Samples, \$1.50

21 Suits, of Pajamas, in percales, madras and soisette; size 16B (will fit about 7 out of every 10 men). \$3.00 values. To clear at \$1.50.

Clearance of "Teck" Oxfords.

All \$5 Oxfords Now \$3.45

In gun metal, tan and patent colt.

Broken Lots and Sizes of \$5, \$4 and \$3.50 "Teck" Oxfords, All leathers. \$2.25

Clearance of

BOYS' and YOUTHS' OXFORDS, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Values. \$2.50

This includes the entire stock of \$3.00 and \$3.50 Teck Oxfords, in all leathers.

Clearance of Entire Stock of

Straw Hats, Panamas and Bankoks

At Half Price or Less.

\$5.00 Straws.. \$2.50 \$2.00 Straws.. \$1.00 \$4.00 Straws.. \$2.00 \$10.00 Bankoks \$5.00 \$3.00 Straws.. \$1.50 \$6.00 Bankoks \$3.00

SPECIAL LOT OF BROKEN SIZES in Straws; all styles and values up to \$3.00. Tomorrow \$1.00

Panama Hats,

\$10, \$12 and \$15 Values, at \$5.00

Boys' Silk and Wash Ties.

25c Values, 2 for 25c

50c Silk Net Ties, 25c

50c Silk Ties, 39c

Boys' 50c Underwear, 39c

All Children's Straw Hats

At Half Price.

Special lot of Children's Straws. \$2.00 and \$2.50 values. To clear at. 95c

CAUGHT BUYING COCAINE

NEW YORK POLICE SAY WOMAN WAS MAKING PURCHASE.

Former Society Belle Is Arrested and Later Has Hysteria in Hospital.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Caught, the police say, as an underlined youth was handing her a package of cocaine in West 8th street today, a woman, who said she was Mrs. Harriet Dewender Bulmer, wife of a prominent physician of Tampa, Fla., was arrested and taken a prisoner to Bellevue Hospital.

As soon as she recovered from an attack of hysteria, caused, according to Dr. Wilkerson of the hospital, by the continued use of drugs, she will be arraigned in court, as will the alleged cocaine peddler, John Lyons.

Mrs. Bulmer, once a brilliant woman of literary attainments and culture, presented a pitiable spectacle as she stood before the desk in the police station. She pleaded vehemently against incarceration, but grew calmer when taken to her cell and the matron drew her story from her. Then hysteria overcame her and she was taken to the hospital, where a man, who said he was a Mr. Dewender, her brother, formerly of Norfolk, Va., appeared.

Mr. Dewender said that his sister was a society belle in Norfolk when she married Dr. Bulmer and went with him to Tampa. Husband and wife have not been living together for two years, however, the brother said, Mrs. Bulmer coming to New York to engage in work as a nurse. She is thirty years old and has a son five years old.

Henry Parsons, at one time a rising young artist, prominently known throughout Virginia, and closely related to persons of wealth and standing in England, was in a police station at Richmond, he was arrested on a charge of drunkenness.